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Re: Patent Application of: Lauterbach et al.  
Serial No.: 10/031,179  
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For: Method and Apparatus for Simultaneous Collection of Time  
Resolved Infrared Spectral Information from Multiple Samples  
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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

**PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)**

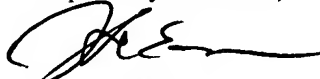
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Sir:

In connection with the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application mailed April 8, 2002 in the above-entitled application, Applicant respectfully requests a one (1) month extension in which to file a response, from June 8, 2002 to July 8, 2002.

Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$55.00 to cover the fee required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a). The applicant is entitled to small entity status. Also, please provide any further extensions of time which may be necessary and charge any fees which may be due to Deposit Account No. 13-0014, but not to include any payment of issue fees.

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